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Title:	GENETICALLY ENGINEERED CELLS WHICH EXPRESS BONE MORPHOGENIC PROTEINS		

DECLARATION UNDER RULE 37 C.F.R. 1.132

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I, Edward Schwarz, Ph.D., a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 125 Barclay Square Drive, Rochester, New York, 14618, USA, hereby declare:

1. I am a Professor of Orthopedics, Medicine, Biomedical Engineering, Pathology, Microbiology and Immunology at the University of Rochester, Rochester, New York, USA. I have a Ph.D. in Microbiology and Immunology from the Sue Golding Graduate Division of the Albert Einstein College of Medicine, Bronx, New York. My fields of expertise are Molecular Biology, Gene Therapy, Stem Cell Biology and Musculoskeletal Tissue Engineering. Specifically, I have been involved in the study of revitalizing bone grafts using gene therapy and stem cell approaches.
2. My Curriculum Vitae and list of publications are attached herewith as Appendix 1.